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October 10, 2016

Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors Room 383, Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration 500 W. Temple Street Los Angeles, CA 90012 **ADOPTED**

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

63 November 15, 2016

LORI GLASGOW EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Attn: Laurie Glasow, Executive Officer/Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

Per your conversation with my office on Friday, October 7, 2016, attached is a corrected copy of Ordinance 16-986, with the correction made to read "Senate Bill 415" in Section 1B of the Ordinance.

The City submitted a letter and Ordinance on September 21, 2016, requesting that the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors approve the City's request to change the date of its municipal elections to November of even-numbered years, effective November 2020.

Attached is a copy of the corrected Ordinance.

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Should you require additional information, please contact me at (323) 848-6408 or at yquarker@weho.org

Sincerely,

Vonne Quarker

/Citv Clerk

CC:

Alex Olvera, Division Manager, Election Information and

Preparation

Enclosure



ORDINANCE NO. 16-986

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF WEST HOLLYWOOD MOVING THE DATE OF THE CITY'S GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION FROM THE FIRST TUESDAY AFTER THE FIRST MONDAY IN MARCH OF ODD-NUMBERS YEARS TO THE FIRST TUESDAY AFTER THE FIRST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER OF EVEN-NUMBERED YEARS BEGINNING IN NOVEMBER 2020.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WEST HOLLYWOOD DOES HEREBY ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1.

- A. The City's General Municipal Elections are currently held on the 1st Tuesday after the 1st Monday in March of each odd-numbered year.
- B. Senate Bill 415 was signed by the Governor in September 2015 and commencing January 1, 2018, prohibits a political subdivision, as defined, from holding an election other than on a statewide election date, if holding an election on a non-concurrent date has previously resulted in voter turnout for a regularly scheduled election in that political subdivision, being at least 25% less than the average voter turnout within the political subdivision for the previous 4 statewide general elections.
- C. The City of West Hollywood did not meet the qualifying criteria to continue to conduct stand-alone elections and must move its elections to the date of the statewide general election.
- SECTION 2. The City wishes to change its election date and consolidate its elections with the state-wide general election conducted by the County of Los Angeles on the Tuesday after the first Monday in November of even-numbered years, beginning November 2020.
- SECTION 3. Pursuant to §1301 of the Elections Code of the State of California, the City will continue to hold their elections on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in March of each odd-numbered year until such time as the County approves the consolidation of future general municipal elections.
- SECTION 4. If the County approves the City's request, pursuant to Section 10403(b) o the Elections Code, no elected city office term affected by a subsequent adjustment to City election dates by ordinance shall be increased or decreased by more than (12) months.

SECTION 5. Pursuant to Elections Code Section 1301, the City requests the County of Los Angeles approve consolidation of the City's general municipal election with the statewide municipal election.

SECTION 6. Pursuant to Elections Code Sections 1301 and 10403.5, this ordinance shall not become operative until approved by the Los Angeles, County Board of Supervisors.

SECTION 7. Pursuant to Elections Code Section 10403.5(e), within 30 days after the ordinance becomes operative, the City's election official shall cause a notice to be mailed to City of West Hollywood registered voters.

SECTION 8. The City Clerk shall forward a copy of the ordinance to the Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder and Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors requesting approval by Board Resolution.

SECTION 9. The City Clerk shall certify the adoption of this Ordinance.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of West Hollywood at a regular meeting held this 19th day of September, 2016 by the following vote:

AYES:

Councilmember:

D'Amico, Duran, Horvath, Mayor Pro

Tempore Heilman, and Mayor Meister.

NOES:

Councilmember:

None.

None.

ABSENT: ABSTAIN:

Councilmember: Councilmember:

None.

LAUREN MEISTER, MAYOR

ATTEST:

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
CITY OF WEST HOLLYWOOD

I, YVONNE QUARKER, City Clerk of the City of West Hollywood, do hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance No. 16-986 was duly passed, approved, and adopted by the City Council of the City of West Hollywood at a regular meeting held on the 19th day of September, 2016, after having its first reading at the regular meeting of said City Council on the 15th day of August, 2016.

I further certify that this ordinance was posted in three public places as provided for in Resolution No. 5, adopted the 29th day of November, 1984.

WITNESS MY HAND AND OFFICIAL SEAL THIS 20th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2016.

YVONNE QUARKER, CITY CLERK

THIS IS CERTIFIED TO BE A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE ORIGINAL ON FILE WITH THE CITY OF WEST HOLLYWOOD

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